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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 15, 2002, Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-15, drawn to a supply system, for further prosecution in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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